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SUBJECT: INQUIRY ON BEHALF OF CONSORTIUM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

1. WE HAVE BEEN APPROACHED BY AMCIT DONALD KAHLSON, REPRESENTATIVE OF CONSORTIUM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (CDC), AN AMERICAN FIRM NOW DISCUSSING WITH GOE TO DO CONSTRUCTION OF NEW DEKHAILIA PORT (NEAR ALEXANDRIA), WITH REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ABOUT A MR. THOMAS A. SMITH OF JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA. SMITH WANTS TO BE MANDATED TO RAISE THE FINANCING FOR CDC'S $265 MILLION CARGO TRANSFER PROJECT. HE CLAIMS TO BE WELL-CONNECTED IN SAUDI ARABIA AND TO CARRY A "KING'S VISA" FOR THAT COUNTRY AND ALSO CLAIMED TO BE PRINCIPAL NEGOTIATOR FOR JOHN PAUL GETTY IN MID-EAST.

2. ANY INFO YOU HAVE ON SMITH'S CONNECTIONS WITH GETTY IN ENGLAND WOULD BE APPRECIATED. JIDDA ADVISES IT HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF MR. SMITH. EILTS

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